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All Interested Parties:

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR TITLE II FORMULA GRANTS PROGRAM

The Corrections Standards Authority (CSA) is pleased to announce the release of the federal <u>Title II Formula Grants Program Request for Proposal (RFP)</u>. Funds made available through this program support delinquency prevention/intervention efforts designed to curb juvenile crime and delinquency. The grants available through this RFP are for a 12-month period scheduled to begin April 1, 2007. There is a possibility of funding for two additional years if Congress appropriates the funds and the project has demonstrated its effectiveness.

The application and instructions for this competitive RFP are posted on the CSA's website (www.cdcr.ca.gov/DivisionsBoards/CSA/index.html). Only Units of Local Government (cities, counties, and federally recognized tribal governments) and non-profit organizations are eligible to apply for Title II Formula Grant funds; however, units of local government may designate a department or agency within their jurisdiction to implement the project.

Proposals are due to the CSA on or before October 17, 2006. As explained in the RFP, CSA staff will conduct an RFP Applicants' Workshop in Sacramento on August 9, 2006 and in Santa Ana August 10, 2006.

Should you have any questions about the RFP, please contact Magi Work at 916-327-3967 (magi.work@cdcr.ca.gov), Marlon Yarber at 916-323-8859 (marlon.yarber@cdcr.ca.gov), or your county's assigned Field Representative at CSA.

We encourage you to consider this funding opportunity, and we look forward to working with all prospective applicants.

Respectfully Submitted,

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